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CAN YOU GIVE US ANY IDEA OF WHEN AND IF WE WILL GET A D RPT D AND B RPT B REPORT ON PERMINDEX AND WORLD TRADE CENTER?

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Chief, New York Office — 30 November 1959

Chief, Contact Division (Support)

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1. Commercial Staff has requested a Dun & Bradstreet report on Permindex Ltd., a Swiss Corporation Registered in Bern, Jan 1956, and its affiliate formed in Rome, Centro Mondiale Commerciale (World Trade Center). We are advised that Dr. Ferenc Nagy, former Prime Minister of Hungary, is president of Permindex. A-79699

2. Attached is outline of information desired on the two organizations. If the D & B report does not contain the financial information desired, would you please try to obtain this information through your bank sources.

E. M. ASHCRAFT

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1. SEE THESE TWO PAPERS FOR BACKGROUND

A) N.Y. TIMES, 31 AUGUST 1959 (31 AUGUST 1959

B) DAILY AMERICAN, ROME (ROME, 9-16 NOV 1958 (9-16 NOV 1958

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2. ONE OF DIRECTORS ENRICO MANDEL-MANTELLO (ENRICO MANDEL-MANTELLO WAS RECENTLY IN US (US, EXPECTED TO BE BACK TO N.Y.C. ABOUT 17 JAN 1962 (17 JAN 1962. HE IS ONE OF DIRECTORS AND ALSO DESCRIBED AS IN CHARGE OF ADMINISTRATIVE AFFAIRS.

3. ADDRESS: DUFOURSTR 11, BASEL (DUFOURSTR 11, BASEL

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DR. ERNST FOLLENDORF / DR. ERNST FOLLENDORF

HEAD OFFICE WAS TRANSFERRED FROM BERN TO BASEL IN 1956 X 1956.

4. THEY PLAN TO OPEN A NYC OFFICE IN JAN 1960 / JAN 1960.

5. WILL TRY TO OBTAIN MORE DETAIL LATER.
LITTLE ELSE AVAILABLE NOW.

6. SHALL WE SEND ANY REPORT NO. ... FOR 30/A(?) 30/A(?) CREDIT.

SOURCE: ALFRED BARTH
CHASE MANHATTAN BANK

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Chief, DD/S-CM
ATTN: Mr. Charles P. White

23 December 1959

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Chief, Contact Division, OO

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Permindex, Ltd and World Trade Center

REF : Your memorandum dated 23 Nov 1959 - CD/OO Case 31785

1. As you were previously advised, Dun & Bradstreet had no available information on either of the subject concerned. However, a bank source of this office has provided the following preliminary information.

2. For background our source suggested that we refer to the New York Times, 31 August 1959 and the Daily American, Rome, 9-10 November 1958. One of the directors, also described as being in charge of administrative affairs, Enrico Mandel-Mantello, was recently in the US and expects to return to New York City about 17 Jan 1960. S-79699

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3. The address of Permindex is Dufourster 11, Basel (office transferred from Bern to Basel in 1956). They plan to open a New York City office in January 1960. Capital: One million French Francs. Officers: Dr. Ferenc Nagy, President; Fritz Schurch, Vice President; Dr. Ernst W. Infeld, Delegate; Dr. Ernst Feisst; Dr. Ernst Fellender. S-79699

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4. We will forward additional information as it becomes available. We are also trying to obtain information from the U.S. Chamber of Commerce and National Association of Manufacturers. A-5199

5. If you have any questions please contact Lillian I. Grant, extension 2268.

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Chief, DD/S - CI
ATTN: Mr. Charles P. White

22 January 1960

Chief, Contact Division, OO

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PERMINDEX, Ltd. and World Trade Center

REF : Your memorandum dated 23 November 1959, CD/OO Case 31785

1. Attached for your retention is a brochure on subject organizations which was received by National Association of Manufacturers about early November 1959. A-2442

2. NAM also suggested that additional information might be obtained from Lloyd McMahon, now Federal Judge of Southern District Court, New York City, who was formerly General Counsel for PERMINDEX, Ltd. If you wish our New York Office to pursue this lead, please let us know. S-67472

3. As we believe Mr. Crowley advised you, the Foreign Department of the U.S. Chamber of Commerce does not maintain records of individual foreign companies. C of C suggested that the World Trade Division, Dept. of Commerce might have some information which we presume you have already checked out.

4. Please advise Lillian I. Grant, CD/OO, Support Branch, extension 2268, of further wishes concerning this subject.

Z. M. ASHCRAFT

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